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I can not speak for everyone but Microsoft is dangerous for the entire US and the world. stifling innovation and technologies that should exist today.

By stifling or putting competition out business Microsoft has prevented the United States from a huge amounts of revenues.

The Internet was built on cross-platformabilities and has become "Windows-centric". The issue of "Smart tag" technology that Microsoft has will envoke copyright infringement.

Privacy issues are a huge concern today and Microsoft is one company that has a horrible track record for handling these types of data. With their Hailstorm initiative they are gathering data to do knows what with and most people are not aware of Microsoft's intentions.

Please do us the consumers a favor and come down hard on Microsoft, they are not benefitting anyone but themselves.

thank you, Joel Philips